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Re: Extension of Time

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

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- 1. This is a Petition for an extension by <u>ONE</u> month(s) of the time to respond to the Office Action mailed on **May 18, 2006**.
- 2. Applicant is a large entity.
- 3. Attached is a check in the sum of \$120.00. Charge to Deposit Account 12-0415 any additional fee required or credit for any excess paid.
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